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Lapidario Dairy Farm
Midland
Private

early 20th century

The Lapidario Dairy Farm is located north of Dan's Mountain Road, near Midland. The farmhouse is a typical early 20th century Neo-Rationalistic-styled frame building. A frame barn has a gambrel roof.

The farm occupies a tract of land conveyed to John Clise by the Georges Creek Coal and Iron Company in 1901. In later years the farm was the property of the Albright family.

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Lapidario Dairy Farm

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Dans Rock Road-

CITY, TOWN

Midland

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6th

VICINITY OF

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Allegany County

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☐ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☒ NO

PRESENT USE

☒ AGRICULTURE☐ MUSEUM☐ COMMERCIAL☐ PARK☐ EDUCATIONAL☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ RELIGIOUS☐ GOVERNMENT☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ MILITARY☐ OTHER**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Renalto S. Lapidario

Telephone #: (301) 777-3320

STREET & NUMBER

768 Bishop Walsh Road

CITY, TOWN

Cumberland

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21502

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Allegany County Courthouse

Liber #: 453

Folio #: 182

STREET & NUMBER

30 Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Cumberland

STATE

Maryland 21502

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

None

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

100-100-200

CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT ☐ DETERIORATED
☒ GOOD ☐ RUINS
☐ FAIR ☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☒ UNALTERED
☐ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This square farmhouse is two and one-half stories tall and three bays wide on the southern facing facade. Wall construction is framed with german siding. It rests on a high rubble stone foundation. The medium hip roof is covered with asphalt shingles. Eaves consist of a boxed cornice, soffit and frieze. A rectangular bay window with a shed roof is on the western elevation.

A hip roofed porch on the facade has tapered square wooden posts standing on brick pedestals. Windows are 3/1 sashes. An entrance in the center of the facade has a nine light frame and glass door. A brick chimney with a corbeled cap is located in the center of the building. A hip roofed dormer with shingle siding is located on the facade.

A barn on the property is framed with german siding. It rests on poured cement foundation. The gambrel roof of the barn has gabled monitor vents. A metal silo abuts the southern-facing facade of the barn.

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Lapidario Dairy Farm is located north of Dan's Mountain Road near Midland. The farmhouse is a typical example of the neo-rationalistic style of architecture which was popular early in the twentieth century. The house sits on a tract of land purchased by John Clise from the Georges Creek Coal and Iron Company in 1901. (Liber 89, Folio 502) In later years the farm was owned by members of the Albright family. A frame barn with a gambrel roof is on the property.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Allegany County Land Records

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME TITLE

David A. Dorsey, Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust/Bureau of Mines

DATE

May 1981

STREET & NUMBER

21 State Circle, Shaw House

TELEPHONE

(301) 269-2438

CITY OR TOWN

Annapolis

STATE

Maryland 21401

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

TITLE SEARCH

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Lapidario Dairy Farm

Liber 453, Folio 182

Grantee: Renato S. Lapidario and Bonnie K. Lapidario

Date: April 28, 1972

Grantor: Oliver Landis, Jr. and Charlotte Landis

Notes: 60 acres of a tract known as "Commonwealth," east of Miller Mine.

Liber 376, Folio 286

Grantee: Oliver Landis, JR. and Charlotte Landis

Date: September 17, 1964

Grantor: Ivan C. Wilson and Maude Wilson

Liber 165, Folio 535

Date: April 30, 1931

Grantee: Ivan C. Wilson and Rehna Wilson

Grantor: William J. Albright et al

Wills, Liber 0, Folio 450

Grantee: William J. Albright et al

Date: (admitted to probate)

Grantor: Mary A. Albright

January 15, 1929

Notes: This will mentions a farm on Dan's Rock Road.

Liber 120, Folio 353

Date: January 18, 1917

Grantee: Mary A. Albright

Grantor: John Clise

Liber 89, Folio 502

Grantee: John Clise

Date: May 27, 1901

Grantor: The George's Creek Coal and Iron Company

Consideration: \$2,500.00

Notes: 188 acres of a tract known as "commonwealth" exclusive of mineral rights.



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Lapidario Dairy Farm

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Southern Facade



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Lapidaric Dairy Farm Barn

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South elev.